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ABC COLOR REPORTED TODAY THAT, IN RESPONSE TO HABEAS
CORPUS WRIT PRESENTED PARAGUAYAN SUPREME COURT, ASUNCION
POLICE HAD NOTIFIED THE JUDICIARY THAT ABC MANAGING
EDITOR ROBERTO THOMPSON (UNDER ARREST SINCE DECEMBER 7)
WAS BEING HELD UNDER PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 79 OF
THE CONSTITUTION. UNDER ARTICLE 79 A STATE OF SEIGE
HAS BEEN CONTINUOUSLY IN EFFECT IN ASUNCION SINCE 1947.
IT SUSPENDS CONSTITUTIONAL GUARANTEES OF PERSONAL
LIBERTY FOR PERSONS SUSPECTED OF SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES. BRIGGS

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